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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMBINING VOICE ANNOTATION AND RECOGNITION SEARCH CRITERIA WITH TRADITIONAL SEARCH CRITERIA INTO METADATA

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TOTAL CLAIMS	21	MINUS	28	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	5	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed March 22, 2005 (Paper No. 20050316), Applicant hereby elects claims 34-43, classified in the Action as "Group II," for continued examination. The Applicant makes this election without traverse.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2025, under Order No. 10003826-1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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